

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Withdrawn) An electrode for an electric double-layer capacitor, which is formed using a solution of a quaternary ammonium borofluoride compound in propylene carbonate as an electrolyte, wherein said electrode includes alkali-activated carbon made from meso-phase pitch as a starting material, and a conductive filler having a rest potential smaller than a rest potential of said alkali-activated carbon in said electrolyte, wherein the amount Fc of said conductive filler incorporated is in a range of 10 % by weight  $\leq Fc \leq 40$  % by weight.

2. (Currently Amended) An electrode for an electric double-layer capacitor having a single layer comprising an active material and a conductive material, the electrode being and which bonded to a current collector, wherein the concentration of said conductive material in a surface portion of the electrode bonded to said current collector is higher than the concentration of a conductive material in an internal portion of the electrode, the higher concentration of the conductive material in the surface portion of the electrode being obtained by subjecting said conductive material to two or more runs of a rolling treatment.

3. (Previously Amended) An electrode for an electric double-layer capacitor according to claim 2, wherein said active material is fibrous meso-phase activated carbon.

4. (Withdrawn) An electrode for an electric double-layer capacitor, which includes meso-phase activated carbon and CMC, the degree De of etherification of the CMC being in a range of  $0.6 \leq De \leq 0.9$ .

5. (Withdrawn) A slurry for forming an electrode for an electric double-layer capacitor, which includes meso-phase activated carbon and CMC, the degree De of etherification of the CMC being in the range of  $0.6 \leq De \leq 0.9$ .

6. (New) An electrode for an electric double-layer capacitor according to claim 2, wherein said conductive material is subjected to seven or more runs of the rolling treatment.